

Deutsche Welle is expecting 1500 delegates to visit the more than 50 panels, workshops and conference events. Some of the 150 speakers include:

- **Thorbjørn Jagland**, Secretary General of the Council of Europe and chairman of the Norwegian Nobel Committee
- **Morten Kjaerum**, Director - FRA - European Union Agency for Fundamental Rights
- **Dr. Wolfgang Schüssel**, Former Chancellor, Austria
- **Hans-Jürgen Beerfeltz**, State Secretary, German Federal Ministry of Economic Cooperation and Development
- **Dunja Mijatovic**, OSCE Representative on Freedom of the Media
- **Catarina de Albuquerque**, UN Special Rapporteur on the Human Right to Safe Drinking Water and Sanitation
- **Purna Sen**, Head of Human Rights at the Commonwealth
- **Ingrid Deltenre**, EBU Director General
- **Jānis Kārkliņš**, Assistant Director-General for Communication and Information of UNESCO
- **Barnaba Marial Benjamin**, Minister of Information and Broadcasting, Government of South Sudan
- **Michael P. Meehan**, Governor, US Broadcasting Board of Governors
- **Houshang Asadi**, Iranian journalist, author of “Letters to my Torturer” (2011 International Human Rights Award)
- **U. Roberto Romano**, Human Rights Educator, Filmmaker and Photographer
- **Estela Barnes de Carlotto**, President of the Organization Abuelas de Plaza de Mayo (Grandmothers of Plaza de Mayo)
- **Frank Smyth**, Washington Representative CPJ
- **Alvito de Souza**, Secretary General SIGNIS
- **Riyadi Suparno**, Vice Executive Director of The Jakarta Post, Jakarta, Indonesia
- **Imelda Marrufo Nava**, Lawyer and Human Rights Activist, Red Mesa de Mujeres de Ciudad Juárez, Mexiko
- **Marcel Granier**, Venezuelan Media Entrepreneur
- **Eric Schmitt**, Senior Writer, The New York Times